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For the second consecutive year, the United Nations General Assembly released a "World Happiness Report" that ranks countries from the happiest in the world to the unhappiest based on measures of well-being and factors that contribute to overall well-being, which are listed to the left. Taking these factors into consideration and using a scale of 1 to 10, numbers were assigned to uncover just how happy these countries are!

## Top 5 Happiest Countries In The World (With Rank)

-  Denmark 7.693
-  Norway 7.655
-  Switzerland 7.650
-  Netherlands 7.512
-  Sweden 7.480






The Scandinavians sure are smiley! Of the top 10 happiest countries, 7 were in the Scandanavian region. Denmark ranked #1 at 7.693

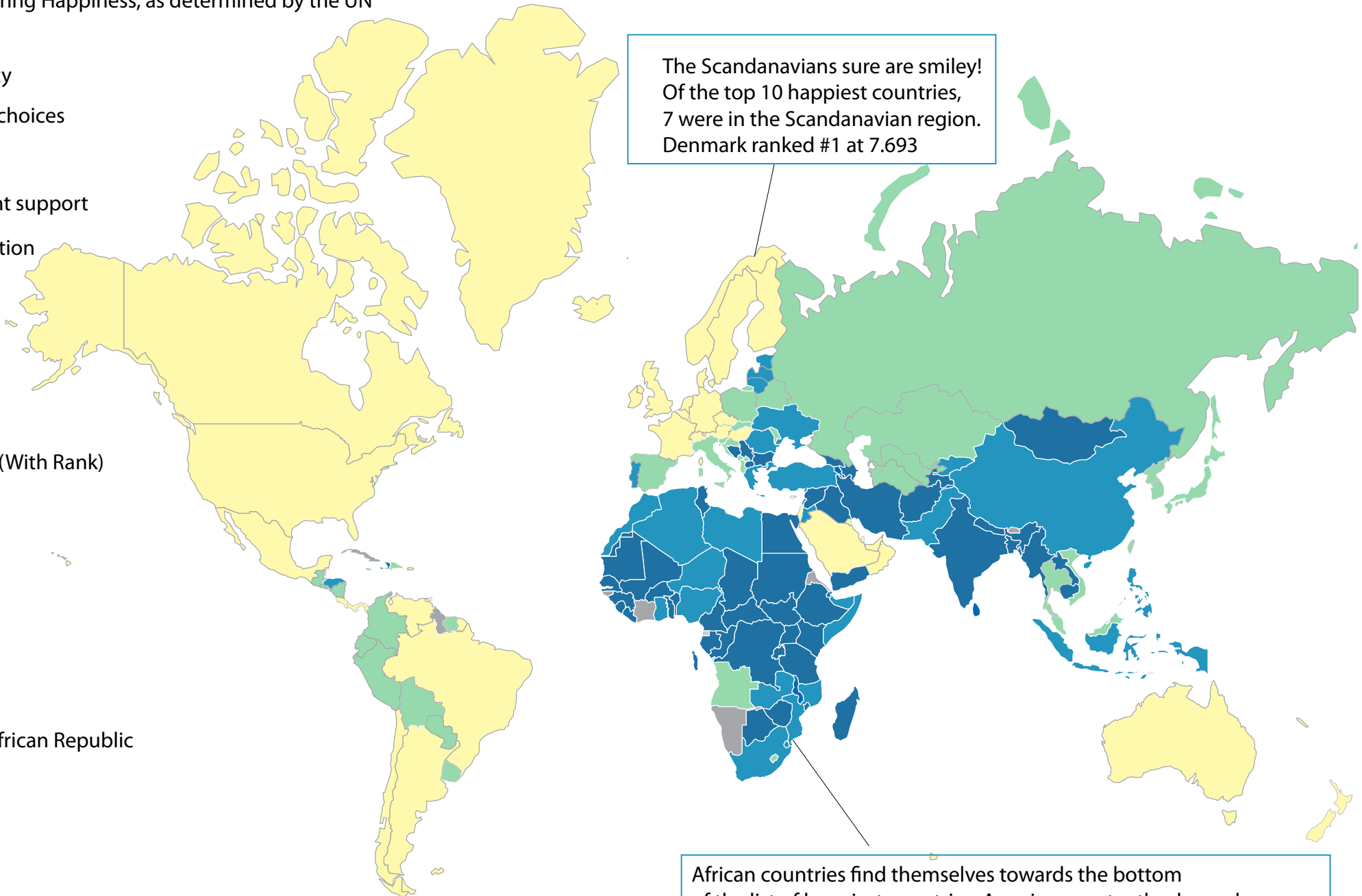
African countries find themselves towards the bottom of the list of happiest countries. A region constantly plagued by civil wars, corruption, disease and famine, 9 out of the bottom 10 countries were in Africa. Togo came in last for happiness, ranked at 2.936

## Six Key Factors in Measuring Happiness, as determined by the UN

1. Real GDP per capita
2. Healthy life expectancy
3. Freedom to make life choices
4. Generosity
5. Social and government support
6. Perceptions of corruption

## Bottom 5 Happiest Countries In The World (With Rank)

-  Rwanda 3.715
-  Burundi 3.706
-  Central African Republic 3.623
-  Benin 3.528
-  Togo 2.936



Togo is feeling a little blue...

While Denmark is as happy as can be!

Countries with no data



2.93-4.82

4.83-5.42

5.43-6.41

6.42-7.69



Projection: Mercator

